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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
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LITIGATION

Master Case No. 2:09-cv-00037-MJP

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**STIPULATED PROTECTIVE ORDER  
AND STIPULATED ORDER  
REGARDING “CLAWBACK” OF  
INADVERTENTLY PRODUCED  
DOCUMENTS**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26 and Federal Rule of Evidence 502, and in the interest of efficiency and judicial economy, particularly in the interest of avoiding ancillary litigation over discovery issues relating to confidential or proprietary information or the inadvertent production of privileged materials, the undersigned Plaintiffs and Defendants hereby stipulate and agree to this order and the procedures set forth herein for designating and protecting confidential or proprietary information and for addressing the inadvertent production of Privileged Material as herein defined.

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## **CONFIDENTIALITY**

1. This Order shall apply to and govern all information that the disclosing party designates as "CONFIDENTIAL" during discovery in this case. This includes depositions, documents produced in response to requests for production of documents, answers to interrogatories, responses to requests for admissions, and all other discovery in any form.

2. When used in this Order, the phrase "disclosing party" shall refer to the parties to the above-captioned litigation or to non-parties who give testimony or produce documents or other material.

3. When used in this Order, the word "document" encompasses, but is not limited to, any type of document or testimony, including all documents or things described in Federal Rule of Evidence 1001(1)-(4) and/or Rule 34.

4. The disclosing party who designates any material “CONFIDENTIAL” (sometimes referred to herein as a “designating party”) bears the burden of establishing the “CONFIDENTIAL” status of such material in any situation in which the designation is at issue, and nothing in this Order shall be construed to alter such burden. The parties enter into and stipulate to this Order without prejudice to the rights of any party to assert or contest the “CONFIDENTIAL” status of any material as set forth below.

5. A disclosing party may designate as “CONFIDENTIAL” any trade secret or other confidential research, design, development, financial or commercial information, as such terms are used in Rule 26(c)(1)(G) and any applicable case law interpreting Rule 26(c)(1)(G). In addition, a disclosing party may designate as “CONFIDENTIAL” non-public personal information, other sensitive personally identifiable information (such as Social Security numbers, dates of birth, home addresses, phone numbers, email addresses and those categories of information identified in Local Rule 5.2(a)) or other information for which applicable federal or state law requires confidential treatment.

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1       6.       In designating material as “CONFIDENTIAL,” a disclosing party shall make  
 2 such a designation only as to material which it in good faith believes is confidential.

3       7.       Any party or non-party receiving any non-public material from a disclosing  
 4 party, regardless of whether such material is designated as “CONFIDENTIAL,” shall use that  
 5 material solely for the purpose of conducting this litigation and not for any other purpose  
 6 whatsoever.

7       8.       In the absence of written permission from the disclosing party or an order of  
 8 the Court, material designated as “CONFIDENTIAL” may be disclosed only to the following  
 9 persons:

10             (a)      The named parties (which would include any proposed class  
 11 representatives, but does not include unnamed putative class members) and the  
 12 attorneys working on the above-captioned litigation on behalf of any party, including  
 13 attorneys consulting with or advising any party to the above-captioned litigation, in-  
 14 house attorneys, paralegals, and staff, stenographic and clerical employees and  
 15 contractors working under the direct supervision of such counsel;

16             (b)      Any expert or consultant who is expressly retained by any attorney  
 17 described in Paragraph 8(a) to assist in the above-captioned litigation, with disclosure  
 18 only to the extent reasonably necessary to perform such work;

19             (c)      Any fact witness, including named parties, provided, however, that the  
 20 witness (i) shall not retain any documents marked as “CONFIDENTIAL,” and  
 21 (ii) shall be informed, prior to being shown materials marked as “CONFIDENTIAL,”  
 22 that he/she is being shown such materials solely for use in this Action; and

23             (d)      The Court, jury, court personnel, court reporters, and other persons  
 24 connected with the Court.

25       9.       The persons described in Paragraphs 8(a)-(c) shall have access to  
 26 “CONFIDENTIAL” material only after they have been made aware of the provisions of this

1 Order (including, without limitation, Paragraph 7). Counsel retaining or representing the  
 2 persons described in Paragraph 8(b) shall require that such persons manifest their assent to be  
 3 bound by the provisions of this Order by signing a copy of the annexed  
 4 “ACKNOWLEDGMENT.” The persons described in Paragraph 8(c) shall have access to  
 5 “CONFIDENTIAL” material only after Counsel retaining, representing, interviewing or  
 6 deposing those persons has provided a copy of this Order to such persons for review and  
 7 requests (but shall not require) those persons to manifest their assent to be bound by the  
 8 provisions of this Order by signing a copy of the annexed “ACKNOWLEDGMENT.”  
 9 Counsel shall retain copies of the signed “ACKNOWLEDGMENT” forms until the  
 10 completion of the above-captioned litigation. Any person receiving “CONFIDENTIAL”  
 11 material is enjoined from disclosing that material to any other person, except in conformance  
 12 with this Order. The parties shall act in good faith to eliminate, whenever possible, the  
 13 expenditure of “on the record” time to effectuate or confirm compliance with this Paragraph  
 14 at any deposition.

15       10.       A list shall be maintained by counsel for the parties hereto of the names of all  
 16 persons (except for counsel and their support personnel) to whom any “CONFIDENTIAL”  
 17 material is disclosed, or to whom the information contained therein is disclosed. Upon a  
 18 good faith showing by a party that this Order has been violated, the Court may review such  
 19 lists if necessary and appropriate to address or resolve the purported violation.

20       11.       This Court shall retain jurisdiction over this Order, including any proceedings  
 21 relating to performance under or compliance with the Order. Individuals who receive  
 22 “CONFIDENTIAL” material shall be subject to this Order and to the jurisdiction of this  
 23 Court concerning this Order.

24       12.       The recipient of any “CONFIDENTIAL” material that is provided under this  
 25 Order shall maintain such material in a secure and safe area and shall exercise the same  
 26 standard of due and proper care with respect to the storage, custody, use and/or dissemination

1 of such material as is exercised by the recipient with respect to its own proprietary material.  
 2 “CONFIDENTIAL” material shall not be copied, reproduced, summarized, extracted or  
 3 abstracted, except to the extent that such copying, reproduction, summarization, extraction or  
 4 abstraction is reasonably necessary for the conduct of this lawsuit. All such copies,  
 5 reproductions, summarizations, extractions, and abstractions shall be subject to the terms of  
 6 the Order and labeled in the same manner as the designated material on which they are based.

7       13. Disclosing parties shall designate “CONFIDENTIAL” material as follows:

8           (a) In the case of documents, interrogatory answers, responses to requests  
 9 to admit, and the information contained therein, designation shall be made, as  
 10 appropriate under the terms of this Stipulation and Order, by placing the following  
 11 legend on each page of any such document: “CONFIDENTIAL.” In the event that a  
 12 disclosing party inadvertently fails to stamp or otherwise designate a document or  
 13 other material as “CONFIDENTIAL” at the time of its production, that disclosing  
 14 party may stamp or otherwise designate the document or other material as  
 15 “CONFIDENTIAL” at any reasonable time thereafter. The delay in designating a  
 16 document as “CONFIDENTIAL” shall not, in and of itself, be deemed to have  
 17 effected a waiver of any of the protections of this Order, but such document or other  
 18 material shall be treated as “CONFIDENTIAL” only beginning at the time such  
 19 designation occurs, provided, however, that the foregoing provision shall not apply to  
 20 any documents or material that had already been made publicly available prior to the  
 21 designation.

22           (b) “CONFIDENTIAL” material may be used in depositions. Designation  
 23 of the portion of the deposition transcript (including exhibits) that contains  
 24 “CONFIDENTIAL” material shall be made by a statement to such effect on the  
 25 record in the course of the deposition or, upon review of such transcript, by the  
 26 disclosing party or counsel for the disclosing party to whose “CONFIDENTIAL”

1 material the deponent has had access, which shall be so designated within twenty-one  
 2 (21) days after the transcript of the deposition is made available. During those  
 3 twenty-one (21) days, the entire deposition transcript, including exhibits, shall be  
 4 deemed "CONFIDENTIAL."

5 (c) Any "CONFIDENTIAL" material produced in a non-paper media  
 6 (e.g., videotape, audiotape, computer disc) may be designated as such by labeling the  
 7 outside of such non-paper media as "CONFIDENTIAL." In the event a receiving  
 8 party generates any electronic copy, "hard copy," transcription, or printout from any  
 9 such designated non-paper media, such party must treat each copy, transcription, or  
 10 printout as "CONFIDENTIAL" pursuant to the terms of this Order.

11 14. Nothing in this Order shall be taken as indicating that any information is in  
 12 fact "CONFIDENTIAL" or entitled to confidential treatment. No party shall be obligated to  
 13 challenge the propriety of a "CONFIDENTIAL" designation at the time made, and a failure  
 14 to do so shall not preclude a subsequent challenge thereto, nor shall a party that has  
 15 designated materials or information as "CONFIDENTIAL" contend that any delay by  
 16 another party in objecting to the designating party's "CONFIDENTIAL" designation in any  
 17 way (a) lends support to the designating party's "CONFIDENTIAL" designation or  
 18 (b) invalidates or diminishes in any way the objecting party's challenge of the  
 19 "CONFIDENTIAL" designation for any such materials or information. In the event that any  
 20 party disagrees at any stage of these proceedings with such designation, counsel for such  
 21 party shall notify counsel for the disclosing party in writing (the "Notice"). The objecting  
 22 party shall identify each particular document bearing a designation to which it objects and  
 23 shall specify the reason(s) for the objection, provided that the party challenging the  
 24 "CONFIDENTIAL" designation may identify multiple documents by Bates number (whether  
 25 in a range of consecutive numbers or otherwise) in its Notice when the reason or reasons for  
 26 challenging the "CONFIDENTIAL" designation apply in the same manner to the documents

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1 identified in the Notice. Within seven (7) calendar days of the receipt of the Notice, counsel  
 2 for the parties (and any non-party involved) shall promptly schedule a date and time to meet  
 3 and confer to attempt to resolve the dispute in good faith on an informal basis consistent with  
 4 the requirement to confer in good faith under Rule 26(c)(1) and Rule 37(a)(1). If the dispute  
 5 cannot be resolved, the party that designated the materials in question as "CONFIDENTIAL"  
 6 may request appropriate relief from the Court, and the objecting party may also request any  
 7 relief from the Court that it deems appropriate (which shall have first been raised no later  
 8 than during the parties' meet and confer) in its opposition to the designating party's motion  
 9 or other proposed method of seeking relief from the Court. The materials in question shall  
 10 retain their "CONFIDENTIAL" status until the Court rules on any such motion so long as the  
 11 party that designated the materials in question as "CONFIDENTIAL" seeks relief from the  
 12 Court within: (i) thirty (30) days of the date the parties initially met and conferred, if the  
 13 disagreement pertains to fewer than ten documents; or (ii) forty-five (45) days of the date the  
 14 parties initially met and conferred, if the disagreement pertains to ten or more documents.  
 15 The parties (and any non-party involved) may agree to extend the time for the disclosing  
 16 party to apply to the Court for relief. If the designating party does not apply to the Court for  
 17 a ruling on the designation of discovery material as "CONFIDENTIAL" within the time  
 18 period prescribed herein or agreed to by the parties, the discovery material will no longer be  
 19 deemed "CONFIDENTIAL." The designating party may request a telephonic hearing with  
 20 respect to the "CONFIDENTIAL" status of materials in compliance with Local Rule 7(i).  
 21 Nothing in this Order shall alter the burden on the disclosing party to establish the  
 22 "CONFIDENTIAL" status of information it has so designated.

23       15.       Nothing contained in this Order shall be construed to limit any party's right to  
 24 use or offer in Court any "CONFIDENTIAL" information, except that no  
 25 "CONFIDENTIAL" information shall be used or offered in Court or filed in the public  
 26 record absent the consent of the disclosing party or permission of the Court.

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1       16. Documents containing "CONFIDENTIAL" material shall not be filed with the  
 2 Court unless the filing party reasonably believes it is reasonably necessary to do so for  
 3 purposes of trial, motions (including without limitation, motions for class certification or  
 4 summary judgment) or other Court matters. The parties will comply with Local Rule 5.2(a)  
 5 pertaining to redacted filings and shall refrain from including, or shall partially redact where  
 6 inclusion is necessary, personal data identifiers from all documents filed with the court or  
 7 used as exhibits in any hearing or at trial, unless otherwise ordered by the Court. In the event  
 8 that any "CONFIDENTIAL" material is filed, such material, and any pleadings, motions or  
 9 other papers filed with the Court disclosing any such material, shall be filed in compliance  
 10 with Rule 26(c) and Local Rule 5(g). In such instance:

11                     (a) The party submitting the material shall submit to the Court a motion to  
 12 seal pursuant to Local Rule 5(g)(3) contemporaneous with the filing of the  
 13 "CONFIDENTIAL" material and shall adhere to all requirements in Local Rule  
 14 5(g)(3) and (4) for filing such material under seal.

15                     (b) If the disclosing party is not the party filing the motion to seal, then the  
 16 disclosing party shall make the showing required by Local Rule 5(g) in its response to  
 17 the motion, which shall be filed in accordance with the schedule for motions seeking  
 18 protective orders pursuant to Local Rule 7(d)(2).

19                     (c) Any motion to seal filed under any subsection of this Paragraph 16  
 20 shall be noted for consideration not less than twenty-one days after filing. The Clerk  
 21 of the Court shall maintain the "CONFIDENTIAL" materials under seal until the  
 22 Court rules on the motion to seal, subject to the provisions of the following Paragraph  
 23 17.

24       17. In the event the Court denies a motion to seal documents labeled  
 25 "CONFIDENTIAL," the Clerk of the Court shall leave the documents under seal for a period  
 26 of three (3) days after the date of the Court's denial of the motion to seal. If the filing party

1 initially designated the documents “CONFIDENTIAL,” then within that three-day period, the  
2 filing party may, at its option, file replacement documents that do not contain  
3 “CONFIDENTIAL” material or any reference to “CONFIDENTIAL” material, in which case  
4 the documents initially filed under seal shall remain under seal and will not be considered by  
5 the Court. If the filing party does not file replacement documents within the time period  
6 prescribed by this Paragraph, the material shall be filed unsealed in the Court file.

7 18. In the event that any “CONFIDENTIAL” material is used in any Court  
8 proceeding in connection with this litigation, it shall not lose its “CONFIDENTIAL” status  
9 through such use, and the parties shall take all steps reasonably required to protect its  
10 confidentiality during such use. In particular, while a motion to seal is pending and before  
11 the Court has ruled, no party shall make use in open court of any documents that are subject  
12 to that motion to seal without the consent of the designating party or the permission of the  
13 Court.

14 19. If “CONFIDENTIAL” material is disclosed to any person other than in the  
15 manner authorized by this Order, the person or party responsible for the disclosure must  
16 seasonably bring all pertinent facts relating to such disclosure to the attention of counsel for  
17 the disclosing party and, without prejudice to any other rights and remedies of the parties or  
18 non-parties, make every effort to prevent further disclosure by it or by the person who was  
19 the recipient of such material.

20 20. Nothing in this Order shall preclude any parties or non-parties to the lawsuit  
21 or their attorneys (a) from showing a document or part of a document designated as  
22 “CONFIDENTIAL” to an individual who either prepared the document or is identified on the  
23 face of the document as an addressee or copy addressee, or (b) from disclosing or using, in  
24 any manner or for any purpose, any material or documents from the disclosing party’s own  
25 files which the disclosing party itself has designated as “CONFIDENTIAL.”

1        21.        In the event any receiving party having possession, custody or control of any  
 2 "CONFIDENTIAL" material receives a subpoena, request for production of documents, or  
 3 other process or order to produce such material in another legal proceeding, from a nonparty  
 4 to the above-captioned litigation, the receiving party shall:

5                (a)      give prompt written notice of the subpoena, request for production of  
 6 documents, or other process or order to counsel for the disclosing party that  
 7 designated the material as "CONFIDENTIAL";

8                (b)      furnish counsel for that disclosing party with a copy of the subpoena,  
 9 request for production of documents, or other process or order; and

10               (c)      cooperate with respect to all reasonable and legitimate procedures  
 11 sought to be pursued by the disclosing party whose interests may be affected. The  
 12 disclosing party asserting the "CONFIDENTIAL" treatment shall have the burden of  
 13 defending against such subpoena, process or order. The party receiving the subpoena,  
 14 request for production of documents, or other process or order shall be entitled to  
 15 comply with it except to the extent the disclosing party asserting the  
 16 "CONFIDENTIAL" treatment is successful in obtaining an order modifying or  
 17 quashing the subpoena, request for production of documents, or other process or  
 18 order, provided, however, that the party receiving the subpoena, request for  
 19 production of documents, or other process shall await the disposition of any motion to  
 20 quash or motion for a protective order timely filed by the disclosing party before  
 21 producing any "CONFIDENTIAL" information in response to the subpoena, request  
 22 for production of documents, or other process or order.

23        22.        Within sixty (60) days of the termination of litigation between the parties,  
 24 including final appellate action or the expiration of time to appeal or seek further review, the  
 25 parties shall (at the request of the disclosing party) return to one another or destroy all  
 26 nonpublic material and all copies thereof (other than those copies filed with the Court)

1 produced by the disclosing party, regardless of whether such nonpublic material has been  
 2 designated "CONFIDENTIAL." If destroyed, counsel shall certify the destruction and  
 3 provide a copy of the certification to the disclosing party. Counsel for each disclosing party  
 4 shall be entitled to retain all pleadings, motion papers, legal memoranda, correspondence and  
 5 work product.

6       23. Except as specifically provided herein, the terms, conditions, and limitations  
 7 of this Order shall survive the termination of the above-captioned litigation.

8       24. This Order is without prejudice to the right of any party or non-party to seek  
 9 relief from the Court from any of the provisions contained herein.

10      25. This Order shall not be construed as waiving any right to assert a claim of  
 11 privilege, relevance, overbreadth, burdensomeness or other grounds for not producing  
 12 material called for, and access to all material (whether designated as "CONFIDENTIAL" or  
 13 not) shall be only as provided by the discovery rules and other applicable law.

14      26. No party shall produce or be requested to produce or identify any material or  
 15 information that the party is prohibited by law from disclosing under 31 U.S.C. §5318(g), 31  
 16 CFR 103.18(e), 12 CFR 510.5 or any similar law, regulation, rule or court order.

17      27. The parties will abide by all Court orders and statutory provisions (including  
 18 applicable law and court orders concerning such provisions) concerning the eligibility of  
 19 each party to receive documents or other material through discovery. Any party that is  
 20 eligible to receive such documents or material shall not provide any documents or material,  
 21 or information that is contained in or derived from such documents or material, to any other  
 22 party unless the other party also is eligible to receive such documents or material. Nothing in  
 23 this Paragraph, however, shall be read to prevent the parties from filing documents in support  
 24 of or in opposition to motions in this Court.

## **INADVERTENT PRODUCTION**

28. To the maximum extent permitted by law, the undersigned agree, and the Court orders, that the production of documents by parties, non-parties JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. (“JPMC”), and Washington Mutual, Inc. (“WMI”), and other non-parties that produce documents in these actions (collectively, the “Producing Party”) shall be governed by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(b)(5)(B) and Federal Rule of Evidence 502 regarding the inadvertent production of material protected by the attorney-client privilege, the work product doctrine, or any other privilege or protection from disclosure recognized under applicable law (“Privileged Material”).

29. The procedure set forth below is intended to reduce the time and expense of an initial review for privilege (including any privilege or protection from disclosure recognized under applicable law) and work product protection by providing the Producing Party or any other party purporting to hold a privilege, with an efficient method for retrieving or “clawing back” inadvertently produced Privileged Material, subject to any resolution of any dispute over the privileged or protected status of the Privileged Material, and for foreclosing any arguments of waiver, subject to the procedures outlined below for bringing disputed claims to the Court for resolution.

30. If a Producing Party, or any other party purporting to hold a privilege, has a good faith belief that Privileged Material has been inadvertently produced, it shall promptly notify the receiving parties of its claim of privilege or protection. In connection with this provision, the parties, JPMC and WMI shall comply with their ethical and legal obligations concerning the actual or apparent inadvertent production of Privileged Material, including their obligation to promptly notify the Producing Party in appropriate circumstances.

31. Upon receipt of any notice claiming that a document is or includes Privileged Material, all other parties, JPMC and WMI (regardless of whether they agree with the claim of privilege or work-product protection) shall promptly:

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1                         (a)     use reasonable efforts to destroy or sequester all copies of the  
 2 inadvertently produced documents or material in their possession, custody, or control,  
 3 and notify the Producing Party, or any other party purporting to hold a privilege, that  
 4 they have done so;

5                         (b)     notify the Producing Party that they have taken reasonable steps to  
 6 retrieve and destroy or sequester the inadvertently produced documents or material  
 7 from other persons, if any, to whom such documents or material have been provided,  
 8 consistent with Rule 26(b)(5)(B).

9                         32.       To the extent a receiving party disputes the claim of privilege or work-product  
 10 protection (the “Disputing Party”), the Disputing Party shall notify the Producing Party, or  
 11 any other party purporting to hold a privilege, of its position within seven (7) days of  
 12 receiving the notice (the “Dispute Notification”). Within seven (7) days of receiving the  
 13 Dispute Notification, the Producing Party, or any other party purporting to hold a privilege,  
 14 shall either withdraw its claim of privilege or confer with the Disputing Party in an effort to  
 15 resolve their disagreement. If the disagreement is not resolved, the Producing Party, or any  
 16 other party purporting to hold a privilege, and the Disputing Party shall cooperate in  
 17 presenting the dispute to the Court through the expedited procedure set forth in Local Rule  
 18 37(a)(1)(B). The Producing Party, or any other party purporting to hold a privilege, shall  
 19 provide the Disputing Party with its draft of the joint statement contemplated by Local Rule  
 20 37(a)(1)(B)(i) within seven (7) days of the conclusion of the parties’ conference. In arguing  
 21 issues concerning an asserted protection for Privileged Material, no party shall claim a  
 22 waiver by reason of the inadvertent production in this action, a related action, or to a  
 23 government agency of documents that are the subject of the dispute.

24                         33.       Pursuant to Fed. R. Evid. 502(d), the inadvertent production of Privileged  
 25 Material in this proceeding shall not constitute a waiver of any applicable privilege,

1 protection or prohibition from disclosure of that Privileged Material in any other federal or  
 2 state proceeding.

3       34. If, during a deposition, a party claims that a document being used in the  
 4 deposition (*e.g.*, marked as an exhibit, shown to the witness, or made the subject of  
 5 examination) is subject to privilege or work-product protection, it may at its sole election  
 6 (a) allow the document to be used in the deposition without waiver of its claim of privilege or  
 7 work-product protection or (b) consistent with Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 30(c)(2),  
 8 instruct the witness not to answer questions concerning the document pending a prompt  
 9 resolution of any disagreement concerning the document's privileged or work-product  
 10 protected status. If the party allows the examination concerning the document to proceed on  
 11 a non-waiver basis, the parties shall sequester all copies of the purportedly-privileged or  
 12 work-product protected document. Immediately following the deposition, the parties will  
 13 commence the procedure outlined in the preceding paragraphs to address the claim of  
 14 privilege or other protection. Until the dispute is resolved, all parties shall treat the transcript  
 15 of such deposition as confidential. If the party instructs the witness not to answer questions  
 16 concerning the document, the parties will then cooperate in promptly submitting the issue of  
 17 the document's status to the Court for expedited resolution using the procedures set forth in  
 18 Local Rule 37(a)(1)(B). A party that halts a deposition on the basis of a privilege that the  
 19 Court deems not to exist may bear the cost of completing the deposition.

20 Dated: November 24, 2010

21 Respectfully submitted,

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## ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

The Honorable Marsha J. Pechman  
United States District Judge

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I have been informed that on \_\_\_\_\_, the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Washington at Seattle entered a STIPULATED PROTECTIVE ORDER in *IN RE WASHINGTON MUTUAL MORTGAGE BACKED SECURITIES LITIGATION*, Case No. C09-0037 (MJP). I have read the STIPULATED PROTECTIVE ORDER, I agree to abide by the obligations of the STIPULATED PROTECTIVE ORDER as they apply to me, and I voluntarily submit to the jurisdiction of the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Washington for purposes of any proceeding related to the STIPULATED PROTECTIVE ORDER, including my receipt or review of information that has been designated as “CONFIDENTIAL.”

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